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**VIA ECF**

Hon. Naomi R. Buchwald  
United States District Judge  
United States District Court  
Southern District of New York

The initial pretrial conference  
scheduled for July 24 at 11:00 a.m. is  
adjourned to July 29 at 1:15 p.m.

**SO ORDERED.** July 15, 2020

Re: Arnold Robinson v. City of New York, et al.  
19 Civ. 2692 (NRB)

Your Honor:

  
NAOMI REICE BUCHWALD  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

I am a Senior Counsel in the Office of Corporation Counsel, assigned to the defense of the above referenced matter. Defendants write to respectfully request that the Court adjourn the conference currently scheduled for July 24, 2020. Defendants have conferred with plaintiff who consents to the instant request.

The reason for the instant request is that defense counsel has a religious observation on July 24, 2020. Defendants have spoken to plaintiff's counsel, and the parties would be available for a conference on July 20, July 21, or July 22. If these dates are not available, the parties respectfully request that the conference be adjourned to a date after July 24, 2020. Defense counsel has a religious observation on July 31, 2020, and could not participate in a conference on that date.

Based on the foregoing, defendants respectfully request that the July 24<sup>th</sup> conference be adjourned.

I thank the Court for its time and consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Omar J. Siddiqi

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